

Town of Simsbury

933 HOPMEADOW STREET

P.O. BOX 495

SIMSBURY, CONNECTICUT 06070

Social Services Department

BOARD OF SELECTMAN MEETING AGENDA SUBMISSION

1. <u>Date of Submission:</u>

September 23, 2013

2. <u>Date of Board Meeting:</u>

October 16, 2013

3. Entity making Submission:

Social Services Department

4. Action Requested:

Acceptance of financial donation in the amount of \$3,000.00

from Hartford Foundation for Public Giving

5. Responsible for Submission:

Social Services Department M. Lecours-Beck, Director

6. <u>Summary of Submission</u>:

The Hartford Foundation for Public Giving has donated \$3,000

for our Cheese Day and Bread Day Programs, which assist low-

income residents of Simsbury.

7. <u>Description of Document:</u>

Copy of check



September 13, 2013

Mary A. Glassman, First Selectman Town of Simsbury 933 Hopmeadow StreetP.O. Box 495 Simsbury, CT 06070

Dear Ms. Glassman:

Grant Number 20131320

I am pleased to inform you that a grant of \$3,000 has been awarded to Town of Simsbury for the Cheese and Bread Day food program. This grant was made from support from the Beatrice Fox Auerbach Foundation Fund and from other funds at the Hartford Foundation for Public Giving to address basic human needs. Enclosed is check number 29115.

With the loss in jobs and sluggish recovery in Connecticut, many agencies report a continuing demand for basic services. Grants target the immediately needs providers see among residents which are often not adequately covered by existing resources. We have extended support to 65 agencies in the Greater Hartford region providing food, emergency housing, fuel assistance, acae4ss to healthcare, and employment services, totaling \$450,000 in grant awards.

Our Communications Department will issue a news release regarding these basic human needs grants. You are welcome to communicate the good news about your grant, but we do not require it. If you do decide to publicize the grant in any form, the text must be reviewed in advance by our Communications Department. To assist, guidelines for various forms of communications and a sample news release/newsletter story are available at http://hfpg.org/GrantCommunication.

By accepting this grant, your organization certifies that, to the best of your knowledge and belief, no portion of this grant will be used to provide any private benefit, goods, or services to the donor(s), fund advisor(s) or any related party associated with the fund.

After the funds have been expended, please submit the attached Basic Human Needs Grant Report to my attention. The Foundation requests this information to assess and to share with the public the benefits of its grants to the community.

Sincerely,

Chery L. Gerrish Grants Manager 10 Columbus Boulevard Hartford, CT 06106 Phone: 860-548-1888 Fax: 860-524-8346 www.hfpg.org

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Bank of America Hartford, Connecticut

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TO THE ORDER

Town of Simsbury
ATTN: The Honorable Mary A. Glassman
933 Hopmeadow Street
P.O. Box 495
Simsbury, CT 06070

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AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

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